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In the claims

Please amend Claims 10, 19, 25, 31 and 39. Amendments to the claims are indicated in the attached "Marked Up Version of Amendments" (page i).

Amend
10. (Amended) The method of Claim 9 wherein the monoclonal antibody has the binding affinity for HIF as the monoclonal antibody 26-10 or a hypothalamic inhibitory factor antibody binding fragment thereof.

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19. (Amended) The method of Claim 18 wherein the monoclonal antibody has the binding affinity for HIF as the monoclonal antibody 26-10 or a hypothalamic inhibitory factor antibody binding fragment thereof.

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25. (Amended) The method of Claim 24 wherein the monoclonal antibody has the binding affinity for HIF as the monoclonal antibody 26-10 or a hypothalamic inhibitory factor antibody binding fragment thereof.

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31. (Amended) The method of Claim 28 wherein the monoclonal antibody has the binding affinity for HIF as the monoclonal antibody 26-10 or a hypothalamic inhibitory factor antibody binding fragment thereof.

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39. (Amended) The method of Claim 38 wherein the monoclonal antibody has the binding affinity for HIF as the monoclonal antibody 26-10 or a hypothalamic inhibitory factor antibody binding fragment thereof.